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1. Q. What facilities do the Czechoslovakians have for making molding machines and other foundry machinery? Estimate production and name plants.

A. Don't know -- none in 1948.

2. Q. Estimate percentage use of machinery from the following sources by the Czechoslovakian foundry industry.

a. Czech machinery -- virtually none.

b. US foundry machinery -- ?

c. Other foreign machinery -- virtually all from the USSR, France, UK in 1948. Don't know what it is for the present time.

Give the percentage use in the following separate categories:

a. Molding machines -- ?

b. General machinery including molding machines -- ?

3. Q. In regard to your knowledge of certain foundries in the USSR during the 1930s, what percentage of foundry machinery was obtained from the US? What equipment did the Soviets supply to these enterprises?

A. I have no up-to-date information.

4. Q. Give any information on Soviet or Czech production of foundry machinery including Simpson type sand mullers, molding machines, sand or shot blasting machines, tumbling barrels, shakeout grids, centrifugal casting machines, permanent molding machines, sand handling equipment, conveyor system. Where produced? Quantities? Quality?

A. Virtually 100% until 1937, then started buying some English and some US design built in Switzerland and France. Later copied US machines and built many in the USSR for Soviet foundries.

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